

PROCLAMATION

BY THE

Gouverneur of the State of Texas

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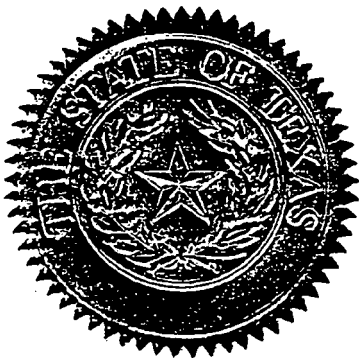
TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

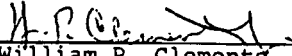
Pursuant to Article IV, Section 14 of the Texas Constitution, I, William P. Clements, Jr., Governor of Texas, do hereby veto H.B. 100 because of the following objections:


This bill would require that an animal shelter sterilize animals released for adoption or require new owners to sign agreements stating that they will have the animal sterilized by a specific date. Many cities in Texas already have such neutering requirements. This type of regulation is best left to local authorities and the imposition of state regulation in this area is unnecessary.

The Secretary of State shall take notice of this action and notify the Legislature.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused the seal of the State to be affixed hereto at Austin, this 18 day of June, 1989.




William P. Clements, Jr.
Governor of Texas


Jack M. Rains
Secretary of State

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